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# BATMAN

WITH  
**ROBIN**

THE BOY WONDER

**SOME MEN STRIVE TO BE FIRST IN COURAGE, IN LOYALTY, IN PATRIOTISM... OTHERS TO LEAD IN FAME AND REPUTATION... BUT ONLY A SUPREME EGOTIST WOULD MAKE A PETISH OF BEING FIRST FOR ITS OWN SAKE... AND ONLY A CLEVER EGOTIST WOULD SUCCEED! THIS IS THE STORY OF SUCH A MAN... FIRST IN PEACEFUL PURSUITS, FIRST IN COWS, BUT CERTAINLY NOT FIRST IN THE HEARTS OF HIS COUNTRYMEN! AND WHEN HE SETS HIS GUNNING AGAINST THE MIGHTY BATMAN AND RECKLESS ROBIN, HE COMES OUT... WELL... READ FOR YOURSELF IN THIS TALE OF THE MAN WHO FOR A TIME WAS BATMAN'S...**

**"ENEMY NO.1"**

THE FIRST NIGHT OF A NEW PLAY... AND ADAM FRANK, WELL KNOWN CHARACTER ABOUT TOWN, IS FIRST TO ENTER THE THEATRE...

FIRST ROW, ME FRANK... FIRST SEAT OFF THE AISLE!

YES, TO MY FAVORITE SEAT!

ADAM FRANK... NOW APPROPRIATE TWO FIRST NAMES... AND ADAM WAS THE FIRST MAN?



NEXT DAY... AS GROUND IS  
BROKEN FOR A NEW BUILDING...

THE FIRST  
SHOVELFUL  
OF DIRT  
WILL BE  
REMOVED  
BY MR.  
FRANK!

HE  
ALWAYS  
SUCCEEDS  
IN  
BEING  
FIRST!



AND LATER...

SORRY MR. FRANK,  
BUT YOU'RE OUT  
OF LUCK. THE  
HONOR  
OF ENTERING FIRST  
BELONGS TO THE  
MAYOR!

WE'LL  
SEE  
ABOUT  
THAT!



AS THE MAYOR APPROACHES...

THERE'S SOME  
ONE ALREADY  
INSIDE... AND  
HE NEEDS HELP!



AND WHOLE THE GUARDS STAND, NONRUMMED.

I DON'T UNDERSTAND  
IT... WE WERE  
HERE ALL DAY  
AND NOBODY  
GOT BY US?

HAVE TO FIND  
OUT WHAT'S  
WRONG? CAN'T  
STAND ON  
CELEBRATION?



AFTER A PESTERED SEARCH...

YES, IT'S PUZZLING! BUT  
I WAS THE FIRST ONE IN  
AFTER ALL!

THEY DON'T REALIZE A  
LITTLE VENTRILOQUISM  
HELPED ME!

FUNNY  
YOU  
COULDN'T  
FIND  
ANYBODY!



THIS DAY AFTER DAY,  
ADAM FRANK SUCCEEDED  
IN HIS ODD HOBBY  
OF BEING FIRST...



UNTIL...

THEN YOU WON'T  
SELL ME YOUR  
SHAKESPEARE  
FIRST EDITION,  
MR. EVANS!

NO, MR. FRANK...  
I'M EXPECTING  
A BETTER OFFER  
FROM MR. MORSE,  
THE DEALER!



COURSE YOU, ALL  
YOU THINK OF IS  
ADAM! I'M  
GOING TO GET  
THAT SHAKESPEARE,  
OR...

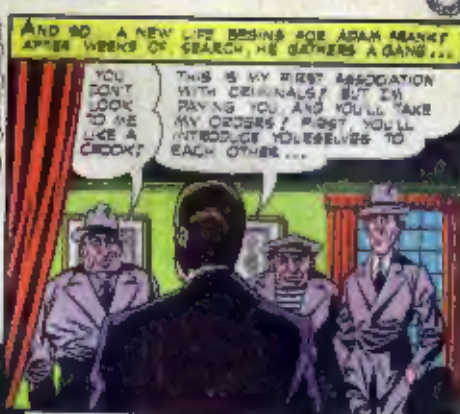
YOU CAN'T THREATEN  
ME, MR. FRANK!  
DON'T TRY TO SEE  
ME ANYMORE... OR  
I'LL HAVE MY  
SERVANTS THROW  
YOU OUT!







MY GETTING ANGRY RUINED EVERYTHING! NOW THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO GET THAT BOOK... STEAL IT! AFTER ALL, WHY NOT? I'LL BE FIRST AGAIN! THE FIRST IN MY FAMILY TO BECOME A CRIMINAL!



AND SO, A NEW LIFE BEGINS FOR ADAM ASHLEY AFTER WEEKS OF SEARCH, HE GATHERS A GANG...

YOU DON'T LOOK TO ME LIKE A CROOK!

THIS IS MY FIRST ASSOCIATION WITH CRIMINALS! BUT I'M PAYING YOU, AND YOU'LL TAKE MY ORDERS! FIRST, YOU'LL INTRODUCE YOURSELVES TO EACH OTHER...



I'M SECOND-STORY SAM!

I'M THREE-FINGERS TUTTLE!

AND I'M FOUR-EYES ROBERT!

HA, HA! EACH HAS A NUMBER... BUT ALWAYS REMEMBER, I'M FIRST! AND NOW... HERE ARE THE DIRECTIONS FOR OUR FIRST CRIME!

MUCH LATER... OUTSIDE THE TELEPHONE BUILDING DOWNTOWN...

WE'VE GRANTED YOUR REQUEST, MR. FRANKS. YOU'LL BE THE FIRST MAN TO SPEAK OVER THE NEW LINE TO SOUTH AMERICA!

IT'LL BE A PLEASURE!

WE'RE HERE JUST IN CASE OF TROUBLE... BUT IT DON'T LOOK LIKE THERE'LL BE ANY! THE BOSS IS SMART!



WHILE THE CROWD OUTSIDE LISTENS EXPECTANTLY TO LOUD-SPEAKERS...

HELLO, SOUTH AMERICA. THIS IS GOTHAM CITY CALLING!

IT WORKS PERFECTLY!

HELLO, AMERICA!



THEN, UNEXPECTEDLY...

ENCOURAGE ME, I'VE GOT SOME PRIVATE BUSINESS TO TRANSACT!

HELP

WHA



MEANWHILE, AT A NEARBY TELEPHONE BOOTH, SOCIALITE BRUCE WAYNE AND HIS YOUNG WARD, DICK GRAYSON, WAIT IMPATIENTLY FOR A LONG-DISTANCE CALL...

IT'S TAKING A LONG TIME TO GET THIS CALL THROUGH!

TOO BAD LINDA WENT ON A VACATION!



# BATMAN



SUPPENLY...

HELP  
HELP

SOUNDS LIKE  
TROUBLE AT  
THE TELEPHONE  
EXCHANGE!

AND A JOB FOR  
YOU!

A QUICK CHANGE TO FIGHTING  
COSTUME, A SPRINT THROUGH CITY  
STREETS AND...

C'MON,  
ROBIN!

BATMAN AND  
ROBIN? THERE  
BUT BE  
PRO-BU-  
AND  
THE  
STING  
ALSO  
-ST



BUT AS THE TUGS REACH  
THE SCENE OF COMBAT...

COME ON  
BOYS!

I'VE BEEN  
WANTING TO  
GET A CRACK  
AT BATMAN!

FAST  
SERVICE  
I'VE GOT  
THIS FELLOW'S  
NUMBER  
ALREADY!

OWW



WHY IT'S THE  
"FIRE" MAN...  
SWITCHING TO  
A NEW LINE I  
ADD A NEW  
ONE TO YOUR  
LIST... FIRST  
TIME YOU'VE  
BEEN HIT BY  
BATMAN!

OW W

FRIGHTENED SWITCH-BOARD GIRLS WATCH A FAST AND  
FURIOUS BATTLE...

THIS WILL  
HELP YOU  
HEAR THE  
BIRDS  
SING!

TRY A LONG-  
DISTANCE  
WIRE  
CHUNK!

I'M GLAD NOBODY  
EVER HITS A  
FELLOW WITH  
GLASSES! THINK  
I'LL PLAY A LITTLE  
GAME!





I ALWAYS LIKED TO PLAY  
WITH MARBLES BUT I  
NEVER HAD SUCH A  
BEAUTIFUL SMOOTH FLOOR



WHA-?

DO NOT STEP  
ON THEM  
BOBBY

I'M  
WATCHING.  
FOUR-EYES.

TIME FOR  
SAK TO  
HELP US  
GET OUT  
OF HERE



WHILE THE DYNAMIC DVD SPRAWLS HELEPLES&LY...

THEY CAN'T GO  
AWAY THROUGH  
THE WINDOW  
WE'RE FOUR  
FLIGHTS UP

THIS IS  
RIGHT UP  
MY ALLEY.  
STEP OUT FIRST,  
BOSS!



WHAT IF  
BATMAN  
TRIED TO  
FOLLOW US?

THIS LADDER  
HAS BEEN  
TREATED WITH  
SPECIAL  
CHEMICALS  
IT'LL TAKE  
CARE OF  
HIS!



AS THE LAST  
CRIMINAL  
REACHES  
THE  
GROUND...

SO LONG,  
BATMAN?  
DON'T GET HOT  
UNDER THE  
COLLAR!

IT'S TOO  
SOON TO  
SAY GOOD-  
BYE. I WANT  
MY FISTS  
HARDLY  
KNOW YOU



BUT A SILKEN ROPE  
SHOOTs OUT ABRUPTLY  
FROM ABOVE...

IT'S ANCHORED  
THE ROPE  
AROUND A  
SALVATOR,  
GRAB  
BATMAN'S



SUDDENLY...  
ROARING FLAMES  
STRIKE  
FERCELY  
UPWARD

NAME

**RUN...**  
THIS LADDER  
CAUGHT FIRE  
AS IF IT WERE  
UNDER 24  
IN A SPOT



GOOD OLD  
ROBIN  
HICKS,  
P.L.A.



A LITTLE SWING TO SAFETY, AND...



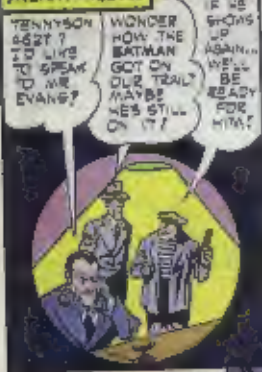
YES... MERELY A FEW PAGES OF UNLISTED PHONE NUMBERS!



KEEN EYES RONE RAPIDLY OVER COLUMNS OF NAMES AND NUMBERS...



MEANWHILE...



YES, MR. EVANS THIS IS MR. NORRIS! I'VE FOUND A CLIENT WHO WILL PAY \$100,000. FOR THAT SHAKESPEARE!



MOMENTS LATER...





UNEXPECTEDLY

BUT NOT FOR LONG CHUCK!

THOSE TWO AGAIN? WE'VE PREPARED FOR THEM THIS TIME!

PARDON MY GLOVES!

HOH

HEY... YOU WOULDN'T HIT A GUY WITH GLASSES?

I WOULDN'T THINK OF SUCH A THING!



I'M ALWAYS VERY POLITE AND CONSIDERATE!



AND AS A STEEL ARM KEEPS BATMAN AT A DISTANCE, A HEAVY VOLUME SAILS THROUGH THE AIR...

YOU FELLOWS ARE PRETTY SMART. NOW ABOUT A LITTLE BOOK-LEARNING!



I GET THE IDEA, BATMAN? WE'LL MAKE THEM VERY OVER A LEAF!



HOW STUDIOUS? I'VE GOT HIS ZOMBIE BURIED THOSE PAGES!

I'LL BET IT'S THE FIRST EDITION IN HIS LIFE!

BUT AS THE CRIME-FIGHTING PAIR GAINS THE UPPER HAND...

THE FIRST TIME I EVER FIRED A GUN! BUT I COULDN'T ASK FOR A BETTER TARGET?

DOWN, ROBIN!



HE ISN'T FIRING BULLETS? WHAT...

SCRATCH AROUND A LITTLE, AND YOU'LL FIND OUT, BATMAN!



THE CRIMINALS STAGE A NASTY RETREAT, WHILE...

WOW! THE GUN WAS LOADED WITH TONING POWDER!

YES AND I'M TRYING TO GET MY HANDS ON THAT MAN AGAIN!



LATER... GARBED AS BRUCE WAYNE AND DICK GRAYSON ONCE MORE...

SO YOU THINK FRANK WILL ATTEMPT ANOTHER "FRESH CRIME, BRUCE!

YES... AND I BELIEVE I KNOW THE ONE! THE ICE SHOW IS HAVING A GALA PREMIERE TONIGHT! IN FACT, IT'S ALREADY STARTED! HE WON'T PASS THAT UP!



SO... THAT EVENING...

ISN'T ANY ONE HERE?

TOO BAD WE'RE SO LATE!

JUST A MINUTE...



SORRY TO KEEP YOU WAITING... I WAS PUTTING AWAY THE EVENING'S RECEIPTS!

FOUR-EYES! THOSE THUGS HAVE STARTED WORK ALREADY!

TWO ORCHESTRA SEATS PLEASE!



A SWIFT TRANSFORMATION IN THE MANAGER'S OFFICE NEARBY...AND THE DYNAMIC DUO HURTLES INTO...

NO TIME TO FREE HIM NOW! WE'LL COME BACK AFTER WE CATCH THOSE CROOKS!

THIS TIME WE'VE GOT THEM COLD!

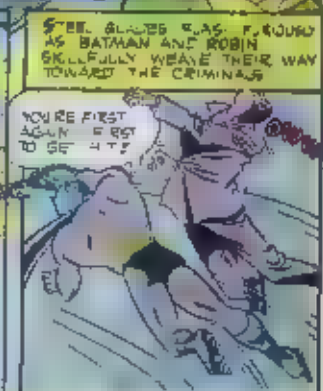
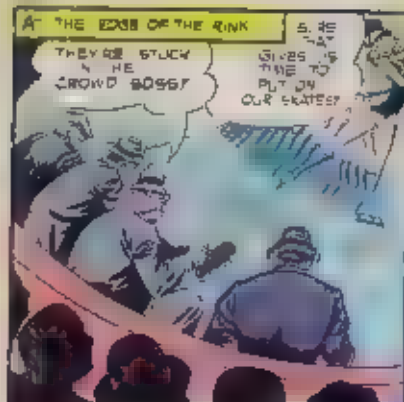


HEY BOSS! THOSE GUYS ARE HERE AGAIN!

THEN HEAD FOR THE ICE AS WE ARRANGED!

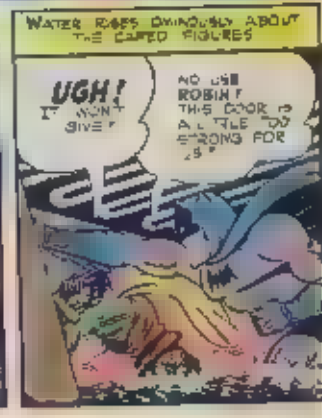
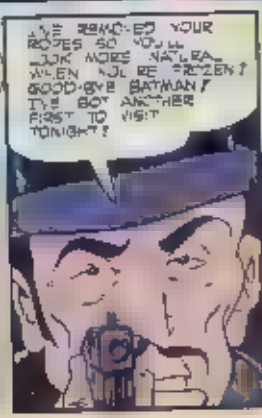
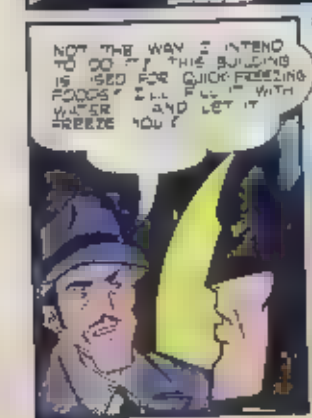
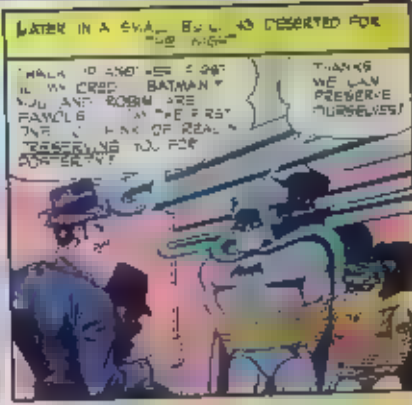
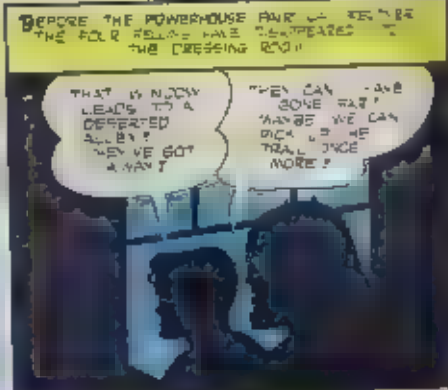






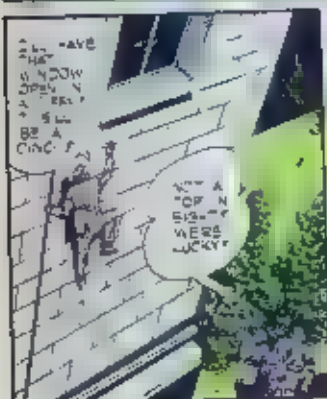
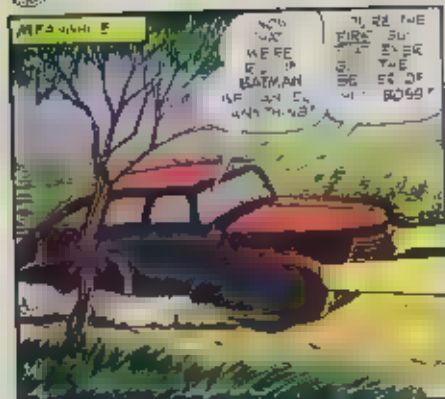


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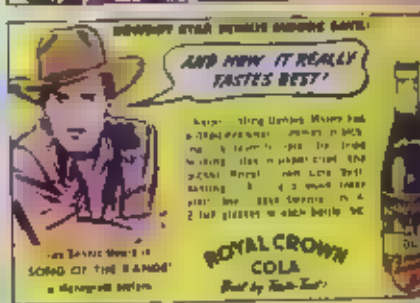
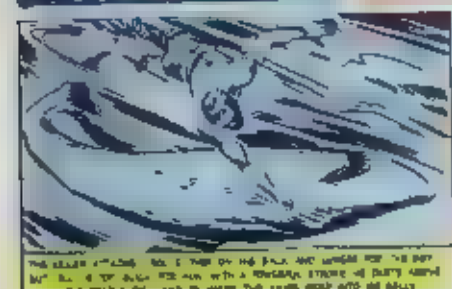
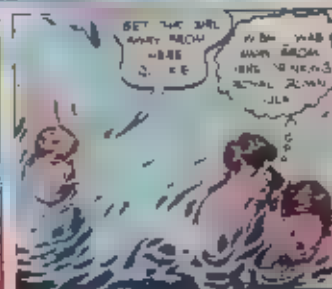
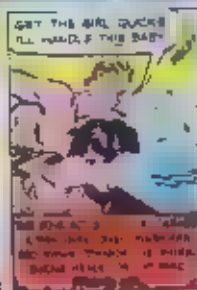
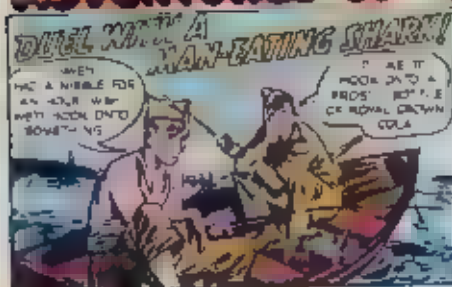


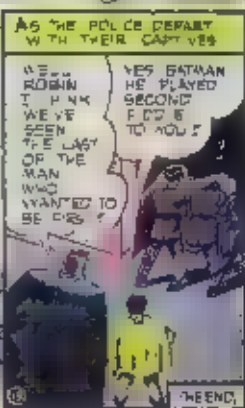
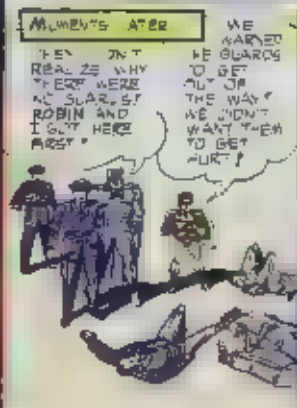
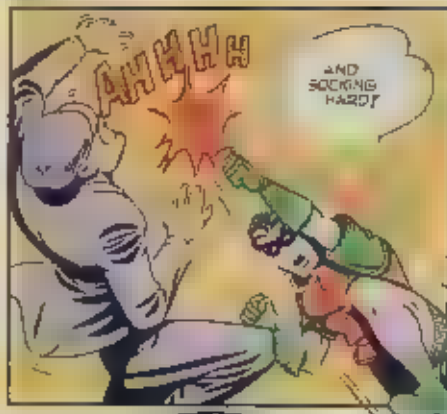




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I THINK YOU'D BETTER WEAR YOUR STRIPED SLIT TARTAN KILT

IN A QUIET RESIDENTIAL DISTRICT SEVERAL BUSINESS MEN DISCUSS PROSPECTS

SLUGS DIS JEEN WE WANNA CROAK IS GONNA BE TOUGH DA PLACE IS GUARDED SO WE CAN ONLY CHANGE 4 PER AN NSIDE JOB

BUT HOW ARE WE GONNA GET INSIDE AFE A L THE SERVANTS HAVE BEEN THERE FOR YEARS THEY DON'T NEED ANY NEW ONES

THEY DON'T NOW BUT DEY WILL AT DA END OF DA MONTH I HOID DAT DA BUTLER'S QUITTING

AND YOU THNK THAT ONE OF THE BOYS CAN GET THE JOB?

NOT ME BOSS I DON'T KNOW NOTHING ABOUT BUTTLIN

ME NEIDER

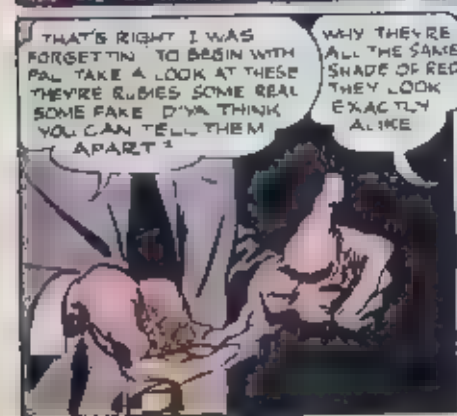
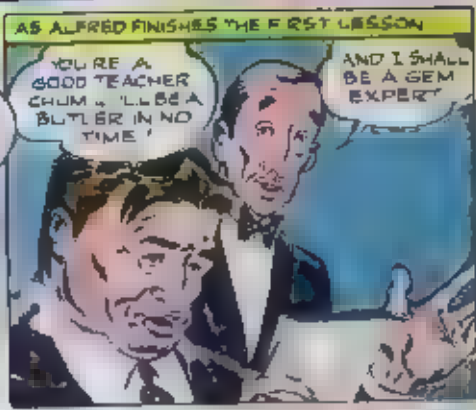
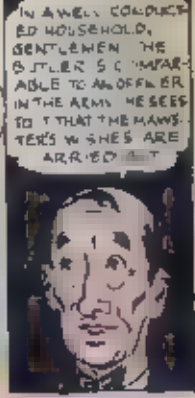
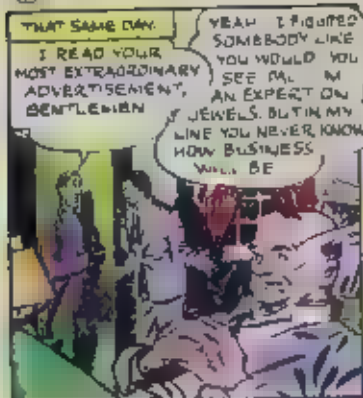
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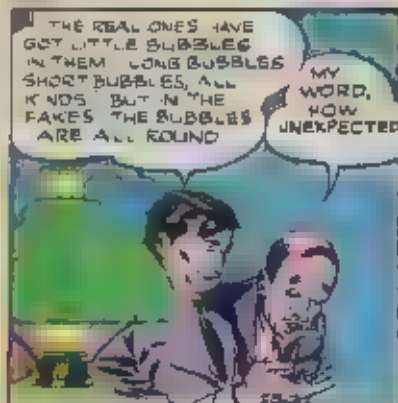
I SAY T WE GOT ENOUGH TUGH LEFT FROM A T RUTALRE JOB TO KEEP US GOIN FOR A WHILE IN THE MEANTIME ONE FUS CAN LEARN TO BE A BUTLER

AND SO SHORTLY

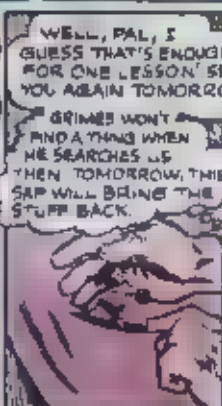
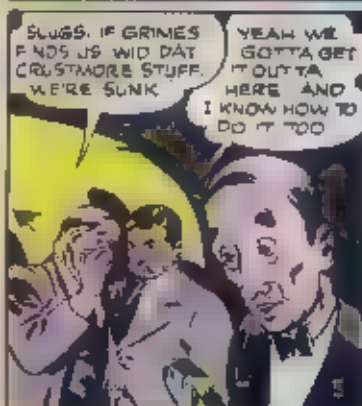
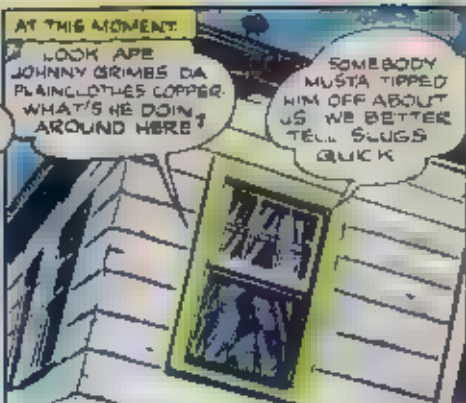
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MY WORD, HOW UNEXPECTED!



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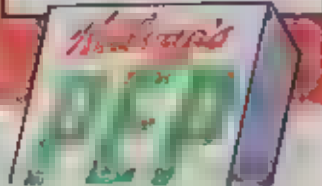
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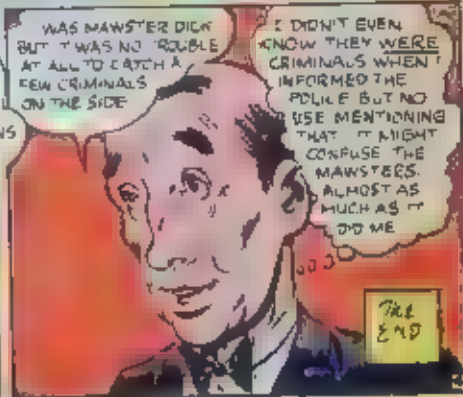
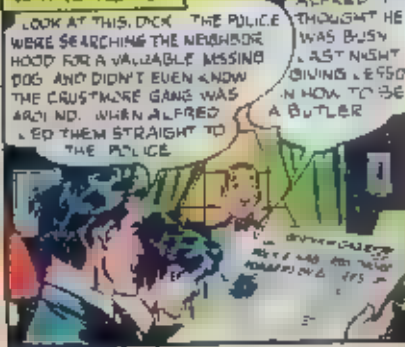
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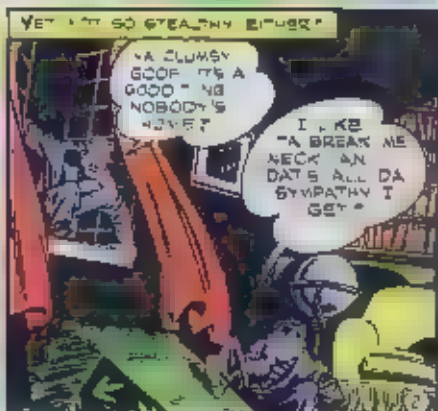
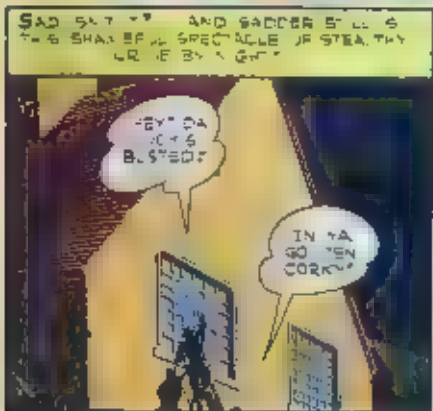
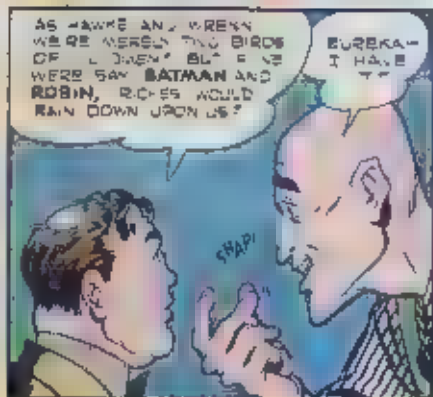
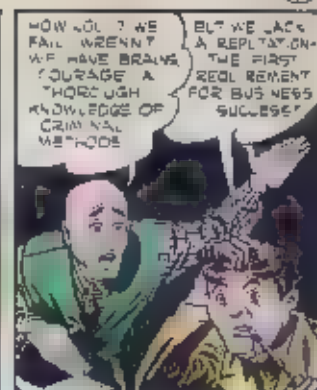
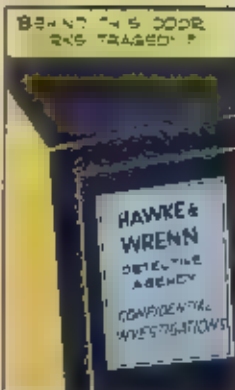
# BATMAN

WITH  
**ROBIN**

THE BOY WHOSE

WHAT'S THIS? DO WE  
SEE THOSE BOLDEST OF ALL  
BATTLES THE MIGHTY  
BATMAN AND THE RECKLESS  
ROBIN, A SHAMFUL GUN?  
FROM UNDERWORLD GUN?  
AY NO - FOR IF YOU LOOK  
ABAY YOU WILL SEE TWO  
TEAMS OF CAPED FIGURES  
ONE SERIOUS AND ONE  
GENUINE - AND WITH SE-  
WANGS A TALE FOR "LOVES  
MEMBERING? FOR "LOVES  
CAN MAKE A SCARECROW -  
BUT IT TAKES STEELY NERVE  
SUPPLY STRENGTH AND UN-  
GLASSING COURAGE TO SEND  
THE DYNAMIC DUO CHARGING  
TO THE RESCUE OF A WHELP  
MEANING BUT NUGGETED PAIR  
WHO WANTED TO BE LOVES -  
"HEROES BY PROXY!"





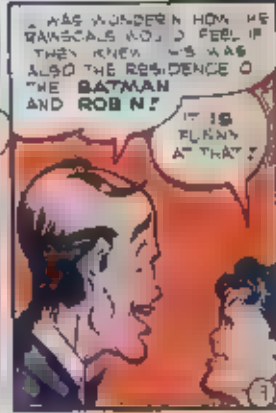
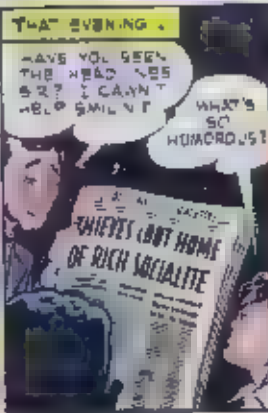
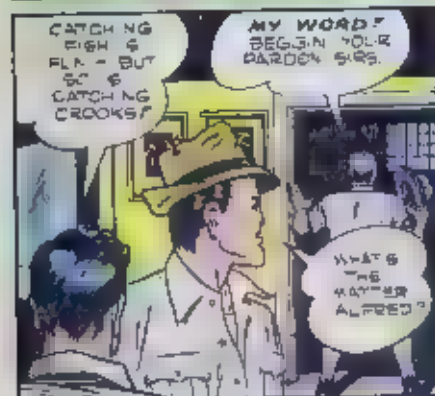




BUT WAIT! WE KNOW THIS HOUSE. HE  
HOMER OF BRUCE WAYNE SOCIETY PLAYBOY  
AND HIS NO. 1 MAN WITH A GRAY HAIR



NEXT DAY BRUCE AND OCK SET ON ROOM  
A FISHING TRIP WITH ALFRED MAJOR DOND  
AND CHEF FACTORY OF THE HOUSEHOLD







# BATMAN



SILENCE "ROBIN" THAT WAS TRUE ONCE I'LL ADMIT - BUT NOW ALAS THINGS ARE HARDER

BUT-

OH E DICK "BATMAN," TO A BARGAIN?

WHEN THE REMARKABLE PAIR WAS DEPARTED

TO GO TO THEY SHOULD BE IN THE MOVIES?

YOU'RE RIGHT BUT THE PROBLEM IS WE'VE GOT TO FIND A WAY TO GET THEM TO THE MOVIES

"ROBIN" WOULD BE A GOOD IDEA

BUT WHAT OF YOUR REPUTATION?

FOR ALL AS KNOW MY WAY HAVE GONE AS BUREAU - I'VE BEEN HERE

NEVER TOUGHEN UP THAT?

OH

AND THAT'S WHY THE REAL BATMAN AND ROBIN ARE GOING TO KEEP AN EYE ON THEM?

ANYWAY HOW COULD THEY APPREHEND THE VILLAINS WITHOUT A SINGLE CLUE?

DR. BOY - ACTION!

MOMENTS LATER A FAO SCENE LEADING TO THE RACES ACROSS THE CITY

HERE'S A GO BATMAN? A KIDNEY REALITY ARE?

ESCAPED JUSTICE FOR A... KNOW

BUT JUST NOW THE MASQUERADERS ARE DISPLAYING CONSIDERABLE SKILL

MY FALL WAS MOST FORTUNATE "BATMAN" BECAUSE THAT CHAIR IMPRESSED IN THE CARPET I CAN A CLEAR FOOTPRINT BE INDICATED BY ODDSHAPED RUBBER PADS?

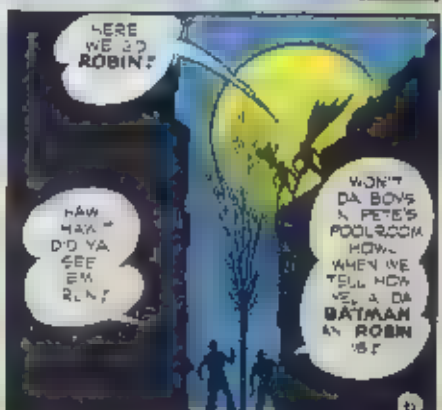
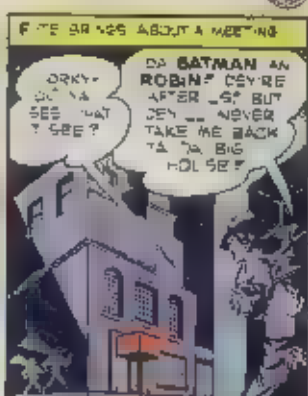
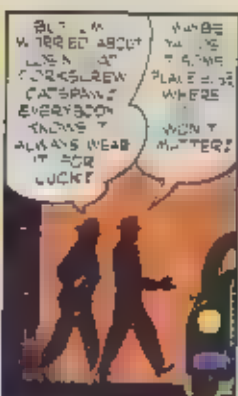
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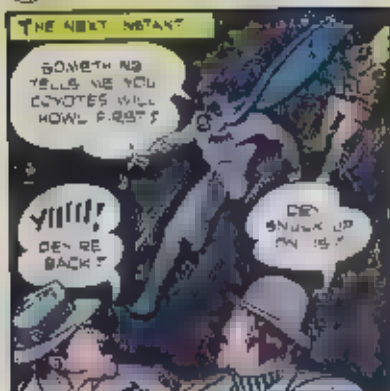
A GO HAVE A GIVE - THE GOLD CORSEWREN WATCH - WORK FOR THE BAT SO BE FULLY ACQUIRED - WAS DROPPED BY A BURGLAR WE BOTH KNOW





# BATMAN







MEANWHILE TWO BLOCKS AWAY

WE'RE SAFE FROM THOSE BULLETS BUT WE CAN'T ESCAPE THE STARE OF CONSCIENCE AS WE CAN ALL DON'T CALL US BATMAN! BATMAN ANY MORE!



WE'RE SCARED HE REAL BATMAN AND ROBIN? TOM, ERIN THE OVERWORLD WILL BUILD A NEW STORY OF HOPE - BY RA - FROM CRIMINALS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN THEIR LIVES!

I KNOW



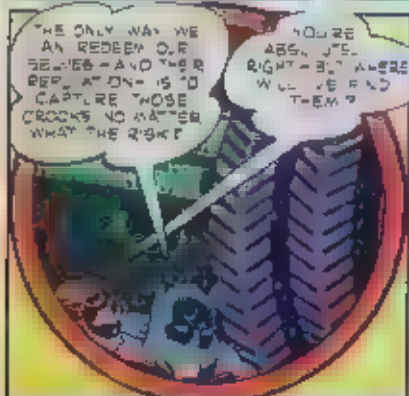
WE MEANT WELL - BUT WE SHOULD HAVE KNOWN WE COULDN'T OBEY HER HERE! SMT

BUT THAT'S EXACTLY WHAT WE MUST DO NOW!



THE ONLY WAY WE CAN REDEEM OURSELVES - AND THE REDEMPTION - IS TO CAPTURE THOSE CROOKS NO MATTER WHAT THE RISK!

YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY RIGHT - BUT WHERE WILL WE FIND THEM?



AND HERE WE GO - AS FAST AS THE MOUNTAIN OF STEEL WILL TRAVEL!

THERE THEY GO!



THEY FLED DANGER ONCE - BUT NO ONE CAN CALL HAWKE AND GREEN GUARDS AS THIS PERILOUS CHASE - HERE WE GO! THE BEST!

FASTER WE'RE DOING THEM!

THIS IS OUR TOP SPEED!



AND FINALLY

THEY SWUNG INTO HIS ALLEY - AND THAT'S THEIR CAR!

LITTLE MAN - HERE'S WHERE WE DO OUR DUTY!





THE BATMAN AND ROBIN HAVE BEEN TRAVELING TOO - BY WAY OF OVERHEAD CABLES.

OL' THINK WE'LL FIND 'EM HERE BATMAN?

LATSPAW MENTIONED A PLACE WITH THE SAME NAME AND THIS IS A NOTORIOUS HANGOUT FOR CRIMES.



REYES  
CLOUTIER

WE WANT ARK  
HUSKINS AND  
LATSPAW AREN'T

DO ANY MORE  
BATMAN - IN  
A T  
WELCOME?

NO A  
SUGAR  
COLORED?



I DON'T LIKE  
THESE THAT  
PULL GUNS?

LOW  
BRIDGE?



IF THERE WERE MORE  
OF YOU I'D SHOW  
YOU SOME REAL  
FIGHTING?

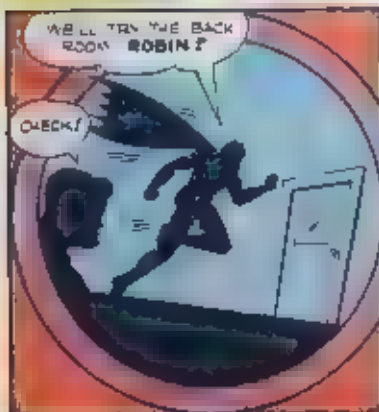
AND IF I  
GO THROUGH?



WE WANT  
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WE'LL TRY THE BACK  
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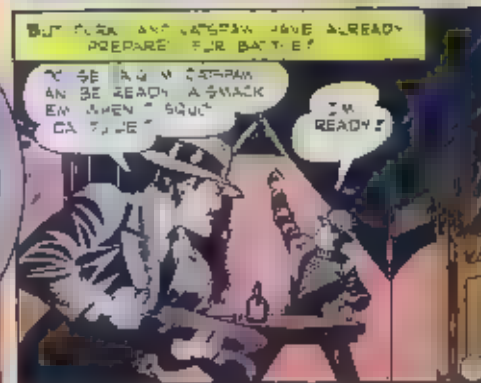
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BUT OUR TWO LATSPAW HAVE ALREADY  
PREPARED FOR BATTLE?

TO BE IN A STRAP  
AN BE READY A SMACK  
EM WHEN I SQUO  
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I'M  
READY?

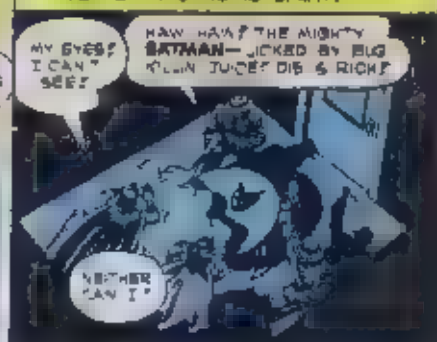


UNDER THE IMPACT OF HURTLING SHOULDERS  
A DOOR BURSTS INWARD



TIME FOR  
YOU PROKE  
TO RETIRE!

CAGED REBELS CHARGE— ONLY TO BE  
MET BY A STINGING SPRAY!



MY EYES!  
I CAN'T  
SEE!

HAW HAW! THE MIGHTY  
BATMAN— JICKED BY BUG  
KILLIN JUICE! DIE & RICH!

NEITHER  
CAN I!



I'M REALLY  
ENJOIN  
DIS \*



NOT YET CATBRAW!  
NOBODY YET EVER  
SEEN DA BATMAN  
WITHOUT HIS MASK!  
LET'S BE DA FOIST  
ONES TA KNOW WHO  
HE REALLY IS BEFORE  
WE BUMP HIM OFF!

IT  
AINT  
A BAD  
DEAT



OF ALL TA B YS  
N DA WO-L  
HIM!

I'D NEVER  
BELIEVED  
IT!



BUT SUDDENLY

YIKIE!  
I'M SEEN  
DOUBLET!

SAY T  
AINT  
SO -  
PLEASE!

FEELING  
DITTY  
CATBRAW!

## FREEDOM'S STAMP

by Eddie Bell

**I**t was funny meeting Moon. Paulus in New York. He was surprised too, but not about our seeing him. He was surprised in that the stamp business lay above his income as politician. This is a wonderful country my friends," he exclaimed "a wonderful country for people who sell in others with hands. From this war cannot win a battle."

We didn't know about that. We weren't interested. There was no much to notice about the emerald Pekingese clothes were as dapper as his manners, and there was about him an air of self-assurance he hadn't had back a how many days in Hong Kong before things had come much blacquer. He was a changed man.

Edna Mera, who had just come back from his career-pending chase in Pearl Harbor commented on the Polaris by saying his white, even teeth.

I am very happy here in America," he explained. "I am trying to do my best to help push the Japanese out. Your own son I hear was a true hero. I thought when I escaped from Hong Kong He sighed. But my precious stamp collection. And here his black eyes flashed. "It is gone." Better yet he added "Those dogs they did not understand it anyway."

Edgar Mays shook his head  
-That just doesn't explain. For  
has how you could stay a  
business here. The other man  
or. What did you do here?

Here had Miss Pickett seen  
himself up to his in the net  
the He was a comical Irish  
Duch a that moment. A ha.  
has never burrows. More he  
chattered. I am an honest  
man.

What is the lucky for me

that our friend Masa Fujita was also honest enough to let me buy him a soda rather than another fellow who said I would have heard about him and the Japanese in late 1945. He was my story by the way I mean the story.

The sap hordes were pouring into Hong Kong and the British were pouring out. But Moss Peh was trying to save his precious stock of stamps, hoard on despatch air. He had a little too long and was taken

Oh they didn't put him in jail right away. He looked French and they were too much into being in searching for Americans and trying to bother him.

It's always was such a little stamp market. And, as far as I would be a Captain Tak who had taken over Peking and of Hong Kong was a stamp market. It was for the goods who indicated the stock and the market. And when he had been taken to Tak's headquarters, the Japanese the...

Working with her the next  
day, he had appeared before  
Cap. A. J. Tomlinson, he thought  
he would not be his life. You can  
be sure a man like Tomlinson  
had a much more than Tomlinson  
interested in him.

His visit known as a blockade when Tak informed him that he Pakai was going to be put on a new job building up Captain Tak's stamp collection.

He was as fast as that  
in a corner and when  
he had a few minutes he  
was in a little better  
condition to be able to  
fight for a few more  
minutes. He had a stack  
of money in his pocket.

was a week before they became convinced that Polshak

was telling the truth. He spent another week under medical care before still bearing the marks of his confinement he appeared again before Captain Loh.

The little Japanese scowled at his spy as the son stole away, but you have hidden up pockets of personal slanders.

For his eyes were on the floor. A fit of trembling overcame him; he remembered the burning he had had. "Oh no, Honorable Captain," he quavered, "I have hidden no packets of stamps." His shoulders shook. "Where could I hide them, Honorable Captain? Your men and justice are so clever they would easily find them."

Captain Tak scowled. He clapped his hands and two men doors appeared. "Take him to my apartment."

One soldier led the way. The other provided Pithas, summer visit, with him. He but and laugh and every time Pithas jumped it seemed very funny. In the soldier.

His physical discomfort was more than amply paid when he saw the woman and is certain. It cost him an eye to look. And, in addition, there was his sick, his own death.

You were about the Manor  
style Captain here" one of the  
soldiers said. He pushed Patrick  
into a bar. "And run when  
he orders."

He was set down hard but as the door closed behind him and he took a look at his situation, he calmed himself away. He ran his hands lovingly over the pages of his beloved stamps and was run down his face. Some was completely lost to him and a lot of it passed by. Only the warning click of the door being opened returned him to reality.

He dashed into his chair.



there runs as Captain Taki, followed by the two soldiers, their arms filled with books, entered Tak's sorrowed eyes glared at Pokas.

"You have recognized this collection."

"Yes, Honorable Captain," Pokas said humbly.

"It is unfortunate," Taki said coldly, "that such owners as you are permitted to own my beauty." He spoke to the soldiers, who placed the books they had been carrying on the table. "Look at them."

Pokas' eyes widened in surprise. On beautiful, hand-printed Japanese paper was an excellent collection of stamps. He looked at them hungrily, then felt Tak's fingers around his wrist. A stabbing pain that through his arm, he it flinched. At last Tak released him from the Jude hold.

"If so much as a trifle of harm comes to my collection," Taki said, "you shall die." He glowered at the quivering Pokas. "You will add your former collection to it. I shall expect a daily report on your progress. You may communicate your needs to the soldier who will be on duty daily." He turned stiffly and went out.

At Pokas began to work. He had an idea. You see Pokas was a very clever man. He could think. He was always thinking.

That's how he happened to hit upon this idea of having Captain Taki sign every page as it was completed. "I will be something for people to marvel about," Honorable Captain," he had said. They will remember your name back in your Honorable Country if ever you put this exquisite collection of stamps on view."

Just as Pokas had figured Tak assented readily. Each night as Pokas waited, he would sign the day's page and in the mind of Captain Taki, as the job neared completion, was the death of the little man.

But Pokas, being no fool, knew this. He knew also, as he

hid his head beneath Captain Tak's desk the same desk where a month before he had hid his head when a Japanese soldier beat him, that now the time was ripe.

Earlier today he had taken a piece of the paper from Tak's album and made an elaborate plot on it. He was a skilled artist, this Pokas, and the plot would defy all question. It needed but one, no, two other things. And Pokas, his heart pounding until he was sure Taki could hear it, had these things now.

Another moment and he was on his way back to his room to resume work. In this month that had gone by the guard had become careless. He, like Tak, had approved the prisoner as harmless, too timid to try to escape. Consequently, the guard often went down to the kitchen now to join his fellows in drinking and always, when he returned Pokas had been fast asleep.

So tonight he went down, too. But his evening, Pokas did not sleep. From his hiding place he took out the impetuous document he had made out carefully. He copied Captain Tak's signature. Then with a smile on his face, he took from his pocket the two stamps he had retrieved from there hiding place beneath Captain Tak's desk. They had

been there all the time! A month now. With rare presence of mind, that night they had beaten him, he had placed them there. They had been beneath his tongue just before that.

With a smile he affixed them to the paper. It made it look more important than ever. You probably read about those two rare stamps from Dutch Guiana. There are only about six in the entire world. And the two I'm talking about sold for \$10,000 each.

They belonged to little Pokas, who had escaped from Hong Kong and made his way to freedom because every Japanese who looked at the document noticed the stamps too. And because they weren't collectors, they just couldn't realize their value. All they knew was that some high Japanese official must have put them there.

And Tak! Maybe he's alive, maybe not. The American Air Force is putting Japs everywhere nowadays. Pokas doesn't expect to see his collection again though.

Yet, he's not too unhappy. "I is," he explained to me and Eddie Mayo that afternoon, "they'd be better off burned. That's why I left that chemical bomb behind me." He sighed. "They were never meant for people without souls to enjoy."

You tell it to  
**SOMEONE**  
who reports it to  
**SOMEONE**  
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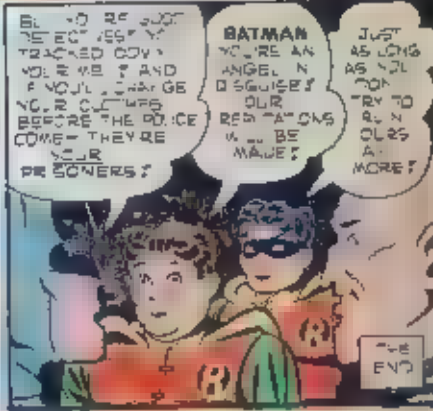
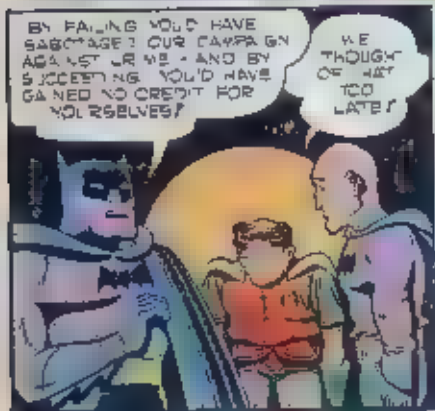
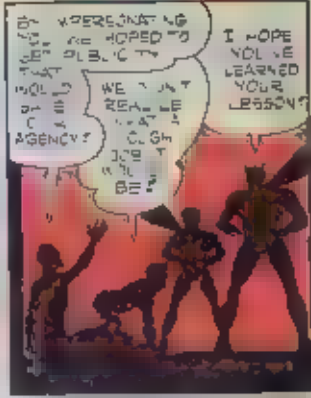
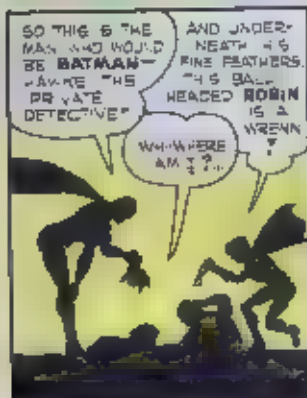
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# BATMAN



THE END

# BATMAN

WITH  
**ROBIN**

-THE BOY WONDER-

"NEITHER RAIN NOR SNOW NOR  
HEAT NOR COLD OF NIGHT TIME HERE LL BRING FROM  
THE HOUSE OF JUSTICE OF THE SPIDER FLAME  
SUCH IN THE WORLD AS THE SPIDER FLAME  
SERVE" BUT HOW MANY ARE THE SPIDER FLAME  
VAST WORKS OF THE SPIDER THAT BRING THE  
THE FARTHER FLAME THE SPIDER IS A GREAT NO  
WHEN CRIMINALS ARE TO BE DECEASED  
FOR MURDER THE SPIDER TO BE MADE  
THE BATMAN AND ROBIN LEARN A NEW WAY TO  
BEFORE AS WITH US AND THE SPIDER  
MAKE SURE THAT "THE MAILED GO THROUGH"





IN PLASTER NO HEAD A BITTER  
 ALL THROUGH ALL STERN NO  
 THERE ARE NO FEET HAVE SOUNDED  
 HE LOST AN ATROC IN OLTHAMS  
 PAYMENTS TO FULFILL THAT HUNDRED  
 DILUTION OF THE PORTA SERVICE  
 HE WAS NOT A FREQUENT

AND THE WEATHERBETTER FACE OF  
 OLD JOHN WEAVER IS KNOWN TO EVERY  
 MAN WOMAN AND YOUNG ALONG THE  
 ROUTE HE HAS COVERED FOR TWENTY  
 YEARS.

HE TOP OF THE  
 MORN N TO YE  
 MR WEAVER  
 AN TH N A FER  
 ME TODAY

MORN N MRS  
 MULLAHEY MIGHT  
 HT DAY



NOT A FOR ARE  
 FROM A R R N HE  
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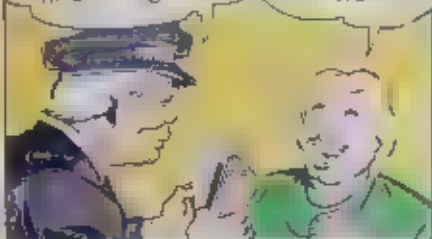
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 WAT WOULD  
 VE D FR  
 REASON  
 N A ER F  
 FR POL CARD  
 MR WEAVER



OH MR WEAVER  
 YOU'VE AN  
 YOU COME UP  
 FOR A MINUTE  
 A NOT  
 IMPORTANT

GOOD  
 MORN N MRS  
 JONES

AM ME  
 EYE  
 FLIGHTS

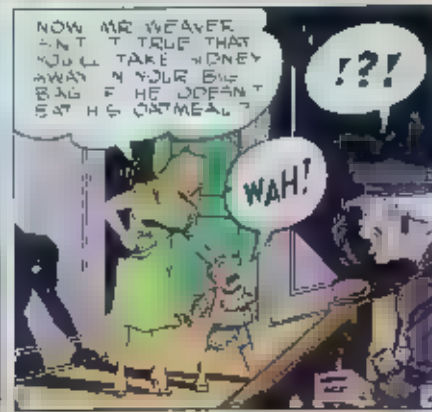
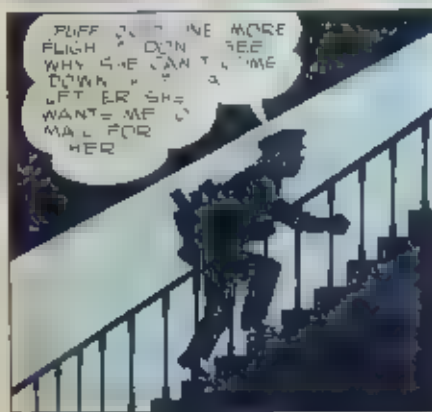


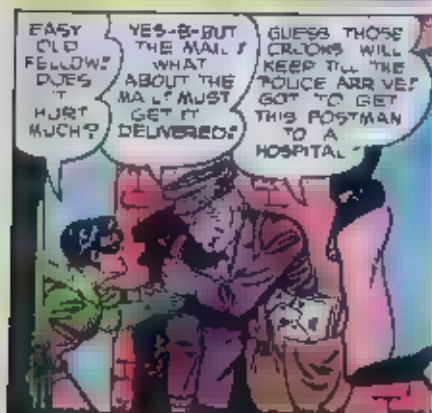
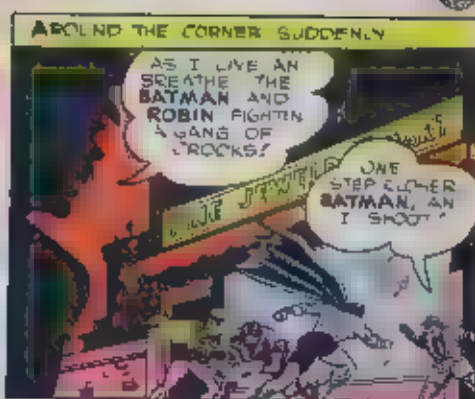
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 WHY HE CAN'T COME  
 DOWN  
 LEFT ER SHE  
 WANTS ME  
 MAIL FOR  
 HER

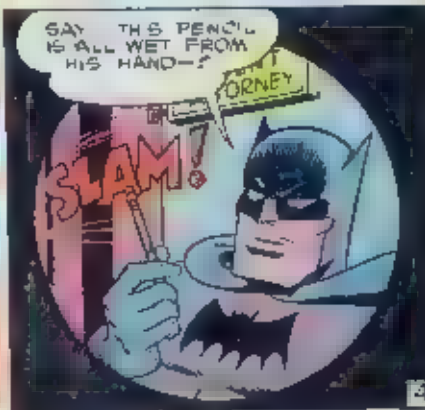
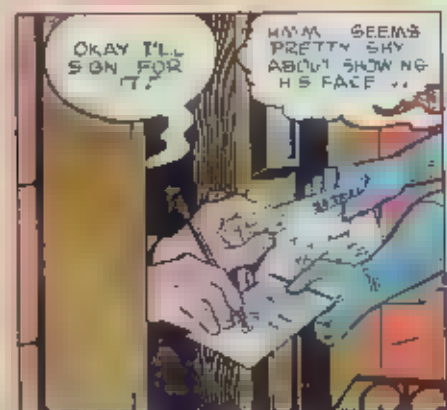
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 BUT HS OATMEAL

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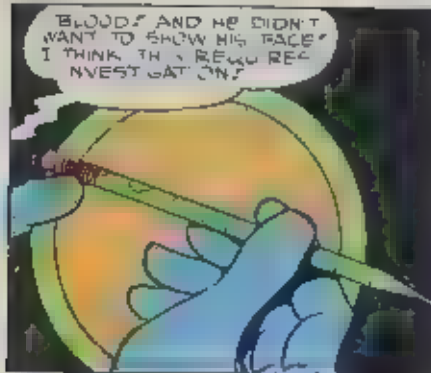
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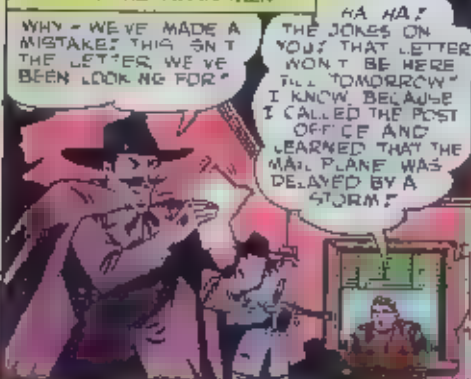




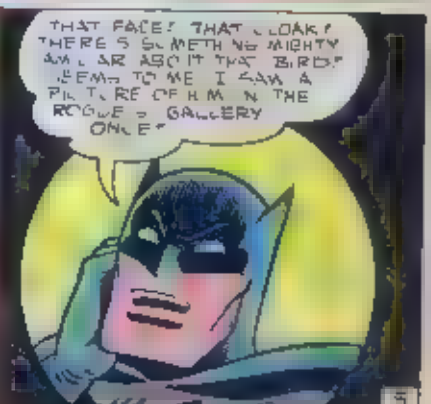


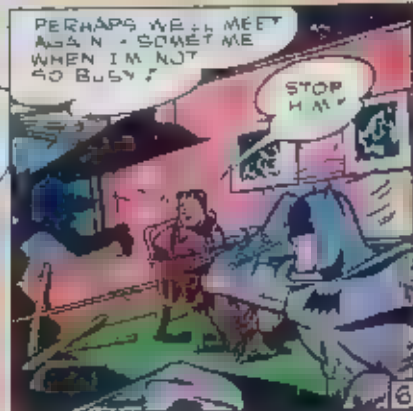
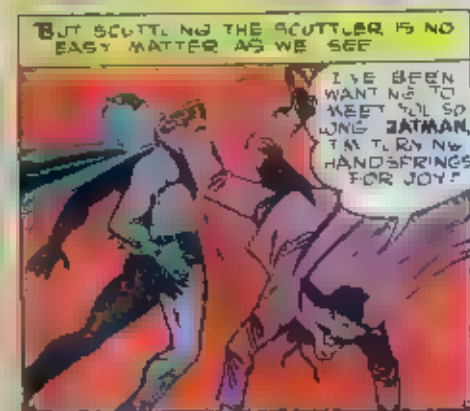
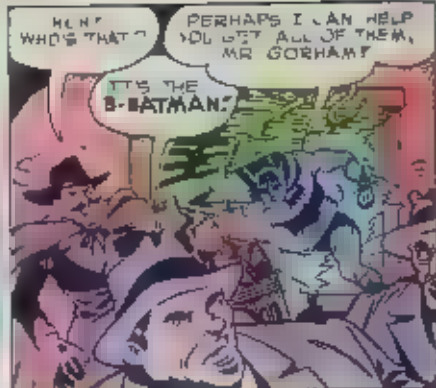
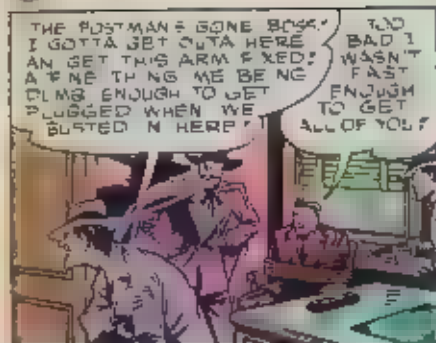


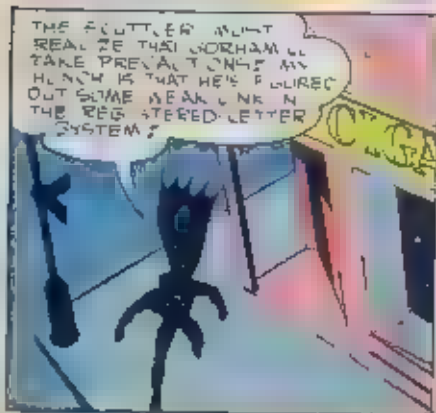
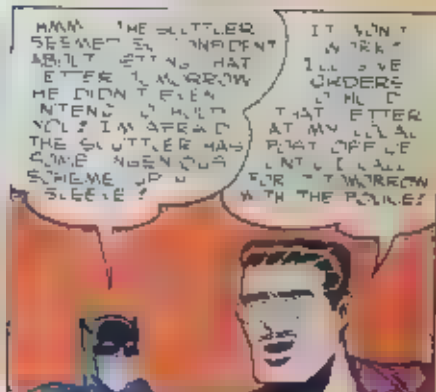
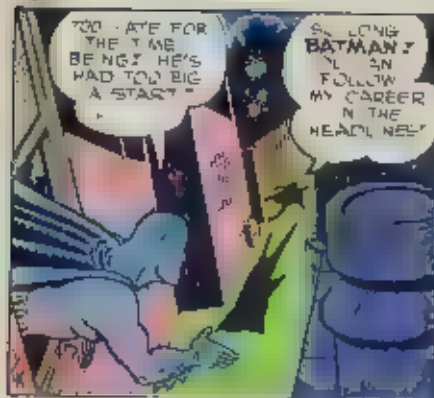
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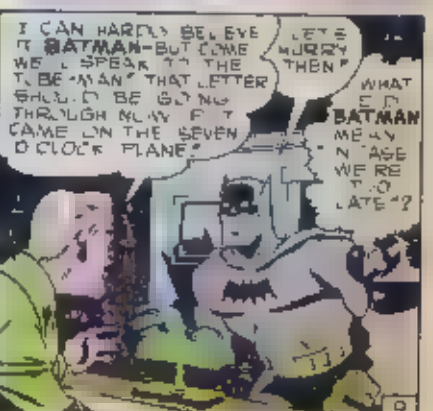
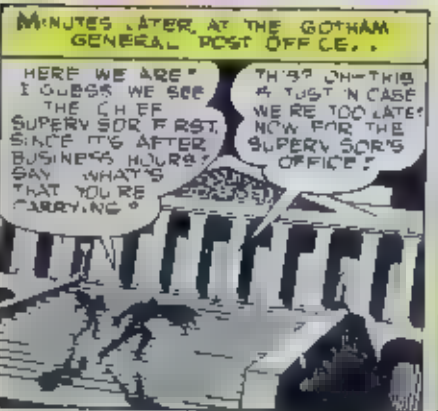
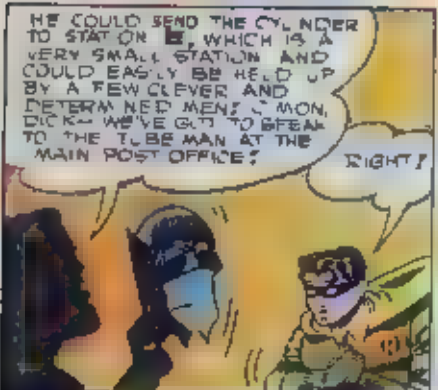
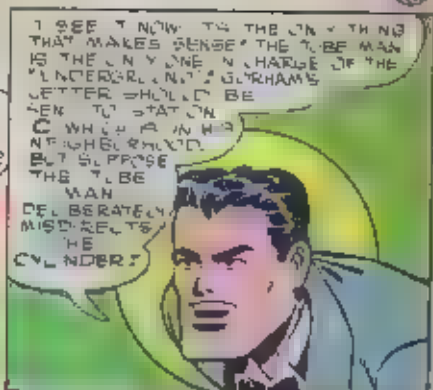
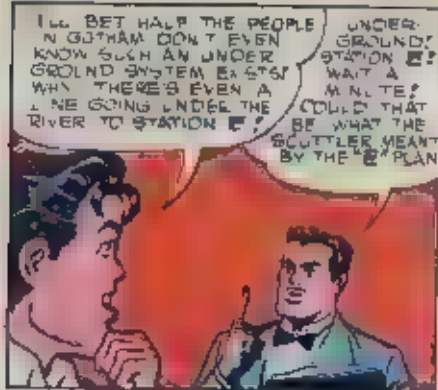


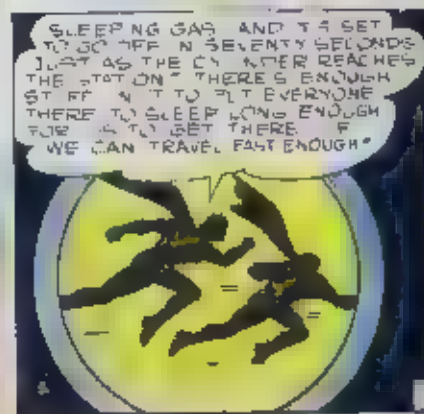
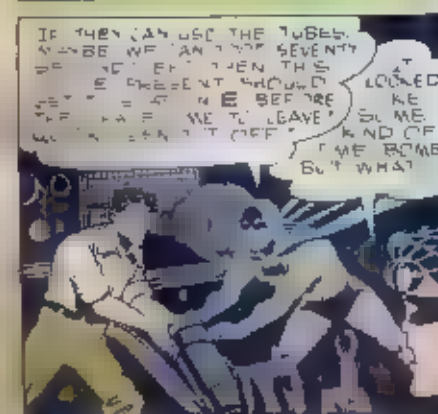
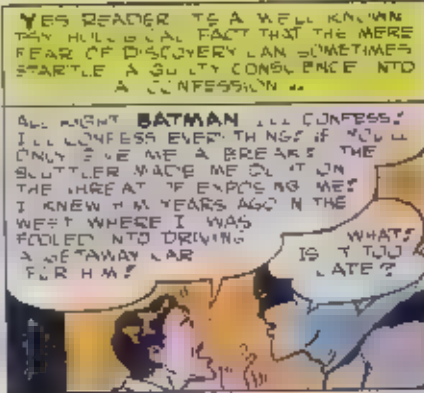


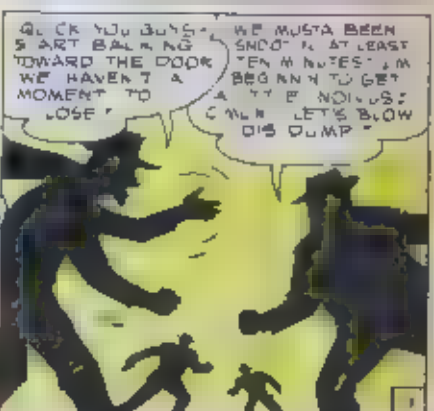
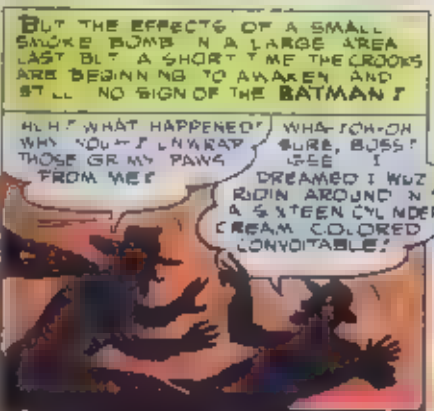
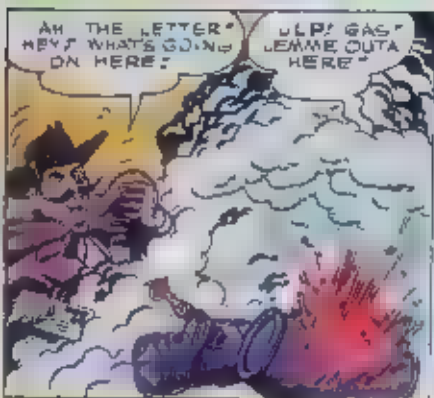
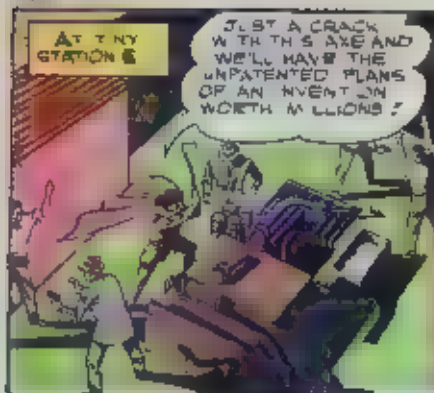












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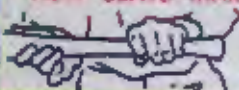
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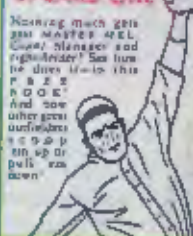
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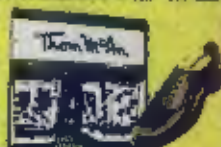
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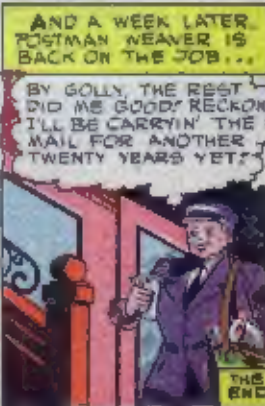
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